

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 7, line 14 with the following re-written paragraph:

-- Turning now to figures 7 and 8, another embodiment of a filter with internal capacitors is shown. Filter 80 is similar to filter 21. In filter 80, a ground plane 70 has been added on layer 28 between layers 26 and 28. Ground plane 70 is connected to terminals 58 and 62 by vias 72 and 74. Ground plane 70 is made of a conductive metal. Ground plane 70 has a length L and width W. Ground plane 70 has ends 70A and 70B. Ground plane 70 also has extensions 70C and 70D. Extension 70C extends toward via 72 and extension 70D extends toward via 74. Terminals 58 and 62 would be connected to a source of ground potential. Metal plates 76 and 78 are located on layer 26 between layers 24 and 26. Plate 76 is electrically connected to terminal 46. Plate 78 is electrically connected to terminal 52. Plate 76 overlaps ground plane 70 with dielectric layer 26 in between to form capacitor C1. Plate 78 overlaps ground plane 70 with dielectric layer 26 in between to form capacitor C2. The capacitors are connected between the input and output ports and ground. The addition of capacitors C1 and C2 modifies the response of the filter. --